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## **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 143**

By Doss

A RESOLUTION to honor Matthew Niswander upon being named the 2017 American Farm Bureau Federation Young Farmers and Ranchers Discussion Meet Champion.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this legislative body should salute those citizens who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy person is Matthew Niswander, who was recently named the 2017 American Farm Bureau Federation Young Farmers and Ranchers Discussion Meet Champion; and

WHEREAS, the Discussion Meet is a competitive event designed to simulate a committee meeting where active discussion and participation are expected; participants are evaluated on their ability to exchange ideas and information on a predetermined topic; and

WHEREAS, Matthew Niswander epitomizes the spirit and commitment that are characteristic of a true Tennessean, and the members of this legislative body find it appropriate to specially recognize him for his exceptional accomplishment; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor Matthew Niswander upon being named the 2017 American Farm Bureau Federation Young Farmers and Ranchers Discussion Meet Champion and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.